

Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Workers in Washington State, Place of Work ¹

In Thousands, Not Seasonally Adjusted	Numeric Change					
	October 2004 (Prel)	September 2004 (Rev)	October 2003 (Rev)	September 2003 (Rev)	Sep. 2004 to Oct. 2004	Oct. 2003 to Oct. 2004
Total Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Workers	2,754.4	2,737.8	2,692.8	2,680.6	16.6	61.6
Natural Resources and Mining	8.8	8.8	9.2	9.1	0.0	-0.4
Logging	5.6	5.6	5.9	5.9	0.0	-0.3
Construction	173.7	174.5	165.2	165.4	-0.8	8.5
Construction of Buildings	46.2	46.2	44.5	43.9	0.0	1.7
Heavy and Civil Engineering	22.5	22.7	21.5	21.8	-0.2	1.0
Specialty Trade Contractors	105.0	105.6	99.2	99.7	-0.6	5.8
Manufacturing	264.1	264.7	265.9	267.8	-0.6	-1.8
Durable Goods	180.7	180.3	181.8 2/	182.5 2/	0.4	-1.1
Wood Product Manufacturing	17.6	17.6	17.7	18.0	0.0	-0.1
Fabricated Metal Products	16.8	16.8	16.9	17.0	0.0	-0.1
Computer and Electronic Products	22.9	22.9	23.2	23.0	0.0	-0.3
Transportation Equipment	74.5	73.9	74.5	74.9	0.6	0.0
Aerospace Products and Parts	63.0	62.4	63.0	63.2	0.6	0.0
Nondurable Goods	83.4	84.4	84.1	85.3	-1.0	-0.7
Food Manufacturing	35.9 2/	36.6	36.6 2/	37.5 2/	-0.7	-0.7
Wholesale Trade	120.1	119.4	116.9	117.1	0.7	3.2
Retail Trade	315.0	314.2	309.5	308.4	0.8	5.5
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	42.6	42.5	42.0	41.7	0.1	0.6
Food and Beverage Stores	62.0	62.1	60.5	60.6	-0.1	1.5
Clothing and Clothing Accessories Stores	24.7	25.0	24.0	24.3	-0.3	0.7
General Merchandise Stores	55.9	54.9	54.7	53.7	1.0	1.2
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	94.3	94.3	89.8	89.7	0.0	4.5
Utilities	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	0.0	0.1
Transportation and Warehousing	89.8	89.8	85.4	85.3	0.0	4.4
Air Transportation	12.9	13.3	13.0	13.0	-0.4	-0.1
Water Transportation	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.3	-0.1	0.0
Truck Transportation	22.2	22.7	22.5	22.7	-0.5	-0.3
Support Activities for Transportation	18.0	17.9	16.6	16.3	0.1	1.4
Support Activities for Water Transportation	6.9	6.8	5.4	5.5	0.1	1.5
Warehousing and Storage	9.0	8.9	8.5	8.3	0.1	0.5
Information	97.4	97.9	92.5	92.4	-0.5	4.9
Software Publishers	40.4	40.5	38.2	38.1	-0.1	2.2
Telecommunications	27.9	27.9	27.5	27.2	0.0	0.4
Financial Activities	158.1	158.3	154.3	155.3	-0.2	3.8
Finance and Insurance	106.6	106.7	104.6	104.8	-0.1	2.0
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	56.6	56.6	53.6	53.7	0.0	3.0
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	39.2	39.2	39.9	40.1	0.0	-0.7
Real Estate and Rental Leasing	51.5	51.6	49.7	50.5	-0.1	1.8
Professional and Business Services	307.8	308.7	297.7	297.3	-0.9	10.1
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	139.1	139.4	135.6	135.3	-0.3	3.5
Legal Services	21.3	21.4	20.9	21.0	-0.1	0.4
Architectural, Engineering, and Related Services	32.0	32.1	31.3	31.3	-0.1	0.7
Computer Systems Design and Related Services	21.3	21.4	20.7	20.9	-0.1	0.6
Management of Companies and Enterprises	32.7	32.7	31.8	32.0	0.0	0.9
Admin., Suppt. Svcs., Waste Mgmt., and Remediation	136.0	136.6	130.3	130.0	-0.6	5.7
Employment Services	49.8	49.7	47.2	46.3	0.1	2.6
Education and Health Services	323.9	320.0	315.0	311.7	3.9	8.9
Educational Services	45.6	41.7	42.3	39.4	3.9	3.3
Hospitals	63.1	63.2	63.0	62.9	-0.1	0.1
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	53.6	53.8	53.2	53.1	-0.2	0.4
Social Assistance	47.2	47.0	45.5	45.4	0.2	1.7
Leisure and Hospitality	254.1	263.3	249.2	259.6	-9.2	4.9
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	40.0	45.2	39.2	46.3	-5.2	0.8
Accommodation	29.0	30.2	28.2	29.2	-1.2	0.8
Food Services and Drinking Places	185.1	187.9	181.8	184.1	-2.8	3.3
Government	535.6	511.7	528.3	506.6	23.9	7.3
Federal	70.4	70.7	70.4	70.9	-0.3	0.0
State	155.8	142.3	150.3	138.9	13.5	5.5
State Educational Services	88.2	74.3	84.1	73.2	13.9	4.1
Local	309.4	298.7	307.6	296.8	10.7	1.8
Local Educational Services	153.3	139.2	151.2	137.3	14.1	2.1
Workers in Labor-Management Disputes	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.1

¹Excludes proprietors, self-employed, members of armed forces, & private household employees. Includes all full- & part-time wage & salary workers receiving pay during the pay period including the 12th of the month. ²Workers excluded because of involvement in labor-management dispute.

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